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Assignee: Addition Technology

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Serial No.: 08/993,696

Group Art Unit: 3738

Title: RADIAL INTRASTROMAL CORNEAL INSERT

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1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☒ Previously submittedi. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on January 07, 2002.
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.iii. ☒ Other Copy of Postcard, Response Transmittal for Preliminary Amendment, Request to Declare Interference under 37 C.F.R. § 1.607b. ☐ Enclosedi. ☐ Amendment/Replyii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)iv. ☐ Other

2. MISCELLANEOUS

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ___ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)b. ☐ Other _____

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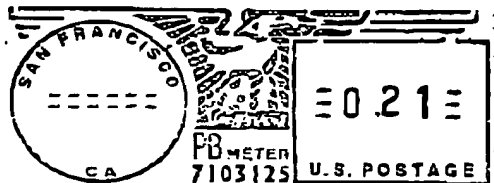
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